

**Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Board**

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**SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY BOARD  
MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA  
October 23-24, 2003**

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**October 23, 2003****\*3:00 p.m. – Continuing Professional Development Committee Meeting***(Chair Gerratt, Grimes, & Shannon)*

- I. Call to Order
- II. Introductions
- III. Appointment of New Committee Member
- IV. Continuing Professional Development Course Review
  - A. Assess Course Content of Courses, "Depression and Bipolar Disorder," "How Does Your Engine Run?" & Courses Offered through the Sonoma Developmental Center Medical Education Conference
  - B. Consider Appeal Regarding the Denial for Continuing Professional Development Course Credit:
    1. "Defiant Behavior in Children and Adolescents" and "The Addicted Brain"
    2. "The Explosive Child"
- V. Review Legislative & Regulatory Proposal to Amend the Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Program Components and Review Standards

**\*4:00 p.m. – Audiology Practice Committee***(Chair Binge, Raggio, & Grimes)*

- I. Call to Order
- II. Introductions
- III. Review of Reference Materials Developed to Assist with Evaluating Courses for Continuing Professional Development Approval
- IV. Review Legislative & Regulatory Proposal to Amend the Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Program Components and Review Standards for the Practice of Audiology

- V. Legislation
  - A. AB 525 – Hearing Aid Dispensing
  - B. SB 174 – Hearing Aid Coverage
  - C. SB 648 – Unbundling
  - D. AB 747 – Medi-Cal Rates and Hearing Aids
- VI. Sunset Review Report Topics for the Practice of Audiology
- VII. Report on Status of Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) Proposed Rule for Audiologists Professional Standards

**October 24, 2003**

**10:00 a.m. Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Full Board Meeting**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Introductions
- III. Approval of meeting minutes for July 10-11, 2003 - Committee Meetings and Full Board Meeting
- IV. Discussion on Proposed Amendments to California Code of Regulations Sections 1399.152 & 1399.156.4 Regarding Board-Approved Institutions & the Advertisement of Professional Degrees
- V. Pursuant to California Code of Regulations Section 1399.152, Request for Board to Consider Columbia Commonwealth University as an Institution Approved by the Board for the purposes of Degree Recognition
- VI. Chairperson's Report (Alison Grimes)  
Report on the State Licensure Subcommittee of the Government Relations Committee of the American Academy of Audiology
- VII. Committee Reports
  - A. Continuing Professional Development Practice Committee (Gerratt)
  - B. Audiology Practice Committee (Bingea)
- VIII. Executive Officer's Report (Annemarie Del Mugnaio)
  - A. Legislation of Interest to the Board
  - B. Budget Update
  - C. Report on Board Action to Address Potential Misleading Advertisements & Unlicensed Practice by "Behavior Analysts (Behaviorists)" and "Educational Therapists"
  - D. Status of the California Board of Occupational Therapy's Proposed Regulations regarding "Swallowing Assessment, Evaluation, or Intervention."
  - E. Continuing Professional Development Audit Update
  - F. Distribution of Department of Consumer Affairs Strategic Plan
  - G. Status on Legislative Initiative to Define Prohibited Business Arrangements within the "Speech-Language Pathologists and Audiologists Licensure Act"
  - H. Reappointment Process for Board Members

- IX. Enforcement/Licensing Statistical Reports (Candace Raney/Lori Pinson)
- X. Board Members as Officers in Professional Associations
- XI. Discuss Draft Sunset Review Narrative and Updated Time-Line for Completion of Final Report

**BOARD WILL CONVENE IN CLOSED SESSION**

- XII. Closed Session (pursuant to Government Code Subsections 11126 (c)(3), Proposed Decisions/Stipulations/ Other APA Enforcement
  - A. Proposed Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order In the Matter of the Accusation Against Richard Vernon Webster, SP 496
  - B. Proposed Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order In the Matter of the Accusation Against Beth Ann Rogers, SP 8242

**BOARD WILL RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION**

- XIII. Meeting Calendar 2004
- XIV. Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda
- XV. Announcements
  - A. Next Board Meeting is January 22-23, 2004 Sacramento
- XVI. Adjournment

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